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Along the Miami

Mr. and Mrs. Wallman were guests at the home of Mrs. Newell and family Friday.

Miss Maud Martin teacher of Bethel school taught Saturday to make up for Wednesday, missed the week before.

Ed Culver and family, Mrs. Basil Culver and children enjoyed Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Newell and family.

W. D. McCullough was a business visitor in this locality Tuesday.

Mrs. Phillip Herman has been seriously ill several days. Tuesday 18 or 20 of Mr. Herman's neighbors husked his corn for him. Dinner was served for most of them at John Huffman's. Mrs. Herman's friends hope for her a speedy recovery.

Last Thursday was Mrs. Newell's birthday. Her relatives and friends decided to enjoy the afternoon with her. Mrs. Ed. Culver accompanied by Mrs. A. H. Culver and Miss Hilda came out in the morning to spend the day as previously arranged. In the afternoon came the surprise. The following friends and neighbors were present, Mesdames Chappell, Bond, Piggott, Eiler, Fisher, George Frank and Charley Frank, Misses Wolf, Ethel Fisher and Master Bobby Piggott. Several others were prevented, some on account of illness and some had a previous engagement. A delicious lunch was served. The afternoon was enjoyed to the fullest extent. Those present and absent wish Mrs. Newell many happy returns as she is a universal favorite. MIAMA.

Mulberry and Western Bates.

Luke Boli and Mac Braden made a flying trip to Butler Wednesday evening in the latter's car.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dykman and children and Mr. and Mrs. R. Bohlken visited at H. K. Dykman's Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Elza Roberts and daughter Alma were trading in the county seat Thursday.

Harlan Porter, wife and daughter, Elizabeth were Butler visitors Thursday.

Henry Dykman lost a valuable work horse Sunday by corn poisoning.

Fred Bowman who has been working in Nebraska the past season returned home Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Sageser were shopping in Butler Saturday.

Marion E. Purcell of Kansas City came down Friday to look after his big farm south east of Amoret.

Stanley Morwood and Harry Cheshire came in Sunday morning from a two months sight seeing trip in California.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Smiser visited at the Henry Ison home Sunday.

Clyde Gray and family, who have been farming the Purcell farm, moved to Mrs. Davis' place at Virginia Saturday.

Harlan Porter, tax collector of Homer township will be at the Bank of Amoret each Saturday to collect taxes.

Mrs. Ella Morwood visited Mrs. L. M. Braden Saturday evening.

Messrs. Luke and Ed Boli, Claude Morwood, Mac Braden and Harry Porter were coon hunting Saturday night. RAMBLER.

In and Around Sprague.

Miss Aletta Bush is spending the week with relatives in Rich Hill.

A cyphering match was held at Montgomery school Thursday night between Montgomery school and Sprague. Montgomery winning.

Miss Jennie Hanley and Bernias Swarens returned to Rich Hill Sunday to attend school.

C. B. McGinnis and daughter, Miss Mary, were shopping in Kansas City Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertick entertained the Sunday school class Saturday night. All reported a fine time.

Miss Della Merritt called at Swarren's Sunday.

Miss Willis and Opal Floyd were shopping in Rich Hill Saturday.

Mrs. Werick returned home from Kansas City Tuesday eve. TOPSY.

Merwin Items.

Mrs. Clyde Patterson spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. J. H. Hayes. The sale at Reeces Wednesday was well attended and every thing sold well.

Mrs. M. B. Hayes is on the sick list this week.

I notice we have some new clerks in at Mr. Fleeners store, Mrs. J. L. Hayes and Miss Mary Hicks.

Joe Emms is able to be out again after a spell of Typhoid fever.

Dr. J. R. Martin and C. O. White made a business trip to Butler Friday.

Frank Taylor is reported better at the present writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans, Claudine Harris, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hayes and Jr. took dinner with grandmother Hayes Wednesday.

Mr. Flavel Tucker, Jessie and Opal Hayes attended the show at Drexel Saturday night.

W. M. Graves is very low with Typhoid fever.

Robert Kessler and Miss Leaf Marsh attended the show at Drexel Saturday night.

Mr. Jay Fleener visited friends in Kansas City Tuesday and Wednesday. John Fleener made a business trip to Kansas City Friday.

Preaching at Edgwood Church every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and evening at 7:30.

Grange Discusses Credit.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 23.—Increased measures of farm credit and better co-operation were the main subjects of consideration at the session of the National Grange, Patrons of Husbandry.

The subject of better farm credits was brought up by T. C. Atkeson of West Virginia, who offered a resolution setting forth that the history of all nations proved government aids in the form of farm credits to be a necessity to the efficiency of food production and for saving farmers from the high cost of loans. It declares that the Hollis-Buckley farm credit bill, now pending in Congress, is hardly in compliance with the request of the granges.

Don't forget to attend the Poultry Show which opens the last day of November and continues three days.

List of Letters

remaining uncalled for in the post office at Butler, Mo., for the week ending November 24, 1914:

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Chisholm, Mr. and Mrs. Al Linder, Ed Barrett, Jerry Bates, G. B. Bennett, E. C. Beyer, Mr. Noble Cooper, W. J. Der—, David Harrison, J. H. Jones, Joe Lindey, J. B. Morris, Dud Moss, A. M. Robinson, W. T. Walton, J. E. Willis, Miss Marrie Ashcraft, Miss Thelma Craven, Miss Lomire Ellimon, Mrs. Nellie Fields, Mrs. Charles Weddle.

These letters will be sent to the dead letter office December 8, 1914 if not delivered before. In calling for the above, please say "Advised," giving date of list.

Taxes Are Now Due.

All those who desire to pay can find me at the circuit clerk's office. Resp't. J. L. Barker, Twp. collector, Mt. Pleasant township. 3-1f.

The Jefferson City public schools, after having been closed 10 days because of diphtheria re-opened Tuesday. There has been 12 or 15 cases of the disease and one death in the last three weeks.

Christian Church.

9:45 a. m. Bible School.
11:00 a. m. Communion and preaching. "The Greatness of the Sunday School Movement."
2:30 p. m. Junior Christian Endeavor.
6:30 p. m. Senior Christian Endeavor.
7:30 p. m. Preaching, "The Law of Kindness."

Marmaduke Camp U. V. A.

Will meet at the court house Saturday, Nov. 28, at 1 p. m. for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. Members are urged to be present. J. R. FORD, Commander.

Will Grind Feed.

Will have feed grinder installed and ready for business on December 1st at my place at Virginia. Bring in your feed. Virgil Jenkins.

City Taxes Now Due

Taxes for the year 1914 now due. Books open in my office, northeast corner basement court house. 3-1f John S. Walker, City Collector.

Anti Hog Cholera Meeting

A large meeting of the farmers of Mt. Pleasant and adjoining townships convened at the court house Saturday afternoon to hear the university men talk and to organize an anti-hog cholera club. The speakers were a little late getting in from a 10 o'clock meeting in Hudson township; but the crowd was patient, and listened with eagerness to all that was said. Prof. Ginriche, the assistant in the manufacture of hog cholera serum, made the first talk; he was followed by Dr. J. W. Connaway, the discoverer of the hog cholera serum. He went into the methods of eradicating hog cholera, and held to the view that appropriations by the state and nation were made to eradicate the disease where prevalent and affecting whole communities or sections, and not for the purpose of curing the herd of any individual citizen. Indeed, he intimated, that a lot of fruitless work had been done and much money spent out of line with the purposes of the law. He claimed that it would be easy to stamp out the disease in a given community or county, or state, if the farmers would organize and cooperate in doing the things necessary to eliminate the disease. He discussed the methods to be followed by the farmers, advising the use of a segregation pen, the application of air slacked lime, and the burning of all carcasses, no matter what the cause of death. He urged that every farmer notify his neighbor promptly whenever he had a sick hog and that dogs and birds, even his neighbor's, be kept out of the hog lots as much as possible, in order that the germs be not carried from one farm to another. He maintained that other diseases, such as pneumonia, often prevailed along with cholera proper, and that the symptoms of cholera differed so that the diagnosis was sometimes difficult; and that even post mortem examination showed different conditions. He did not advocate what is known as simultaneous vaccination.

Dr. Connaway was followed by Prof. J. T. Simpson, assistant professor of animal husbandry, in a talk for organization, after which the Mt. Pleasant Township Club was organized with C. H. Argenbright as president and W. H. Dewesse as secretary. This was the 20th club organized in the county during the week, and the presidents and secretaries of the other clubs present as delegates proceeded to organize a Central County Club by the election of C. H. Argenbright president and Jesse E. Smith secretary and treasurer.

The organization of clubs will be continued until there is one in each school district. The meeting adjourned to Argenbright's feed yard where Prof. M. J. Hurley "demonstrated" by killing and carving up a live sick hog. The interest in this performance was intense; and the crowd asked questions and received polite answers and satisfactory explanations. This particular hog had both pneumonia and cholera, the evidences of both being unmistakable.

Prof. Hurley will return here the latter part of the week for an indefinite stay and will have a desk in the Probate office, where he may be found by any of our farmers. His services will be free.

Both the national and state governments are pouring out money to eradicate hog cholera, foot and mouth disease, and other contagious diseases such as tuberculosis and blackleg; and surely the farmers should cooperate in every possible way; so that the millions of dollars lost every year may be saved. The meat problem is becoming acute, and the general government is promoting an increased production in every legitimate way. But it is up to the every day farmer to conquer and eradicate these contagious diseases, even with the assistance of the best and latest scientific knowledge on the subject.

Christian Science Services

Will be held at the court house in the Probate Court room every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. All are cordially invited. Subject "Soul and Body."

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Our Stock is Now at its Best to Select From

Ladies Waists Special—\$2.48	\$1.50 Wool Dress Goods Special 75c	Ladies Coats Special Values \$7.50	Ladies Skirts \$1.50—\$10.00	LADIES ALL LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS 15c, 2 for 25c
Boys Suits \$2.00—\$7.50	Mens all wool Suits \$10.00—\$15.00	Mens All Wool Overcoats \$7.50—\$15.00	Boys Overcoats \$1.50—\$10.00	Kuppenheimer Clothes for men \$15.00—\$25.00
Extra Large Cotton Blankets 98c	Extra Heavy Comforts \$1.25	Extra Quality Outing 6½c	Extra Grade All Wool Blankets \$5.00	Extra Good L L Muslin 6½c
The Best Knit Petticoats 48c	The Best Outing Petticoats 25c	The Best Outing Gowns 98c	The best Ladies Union Suits \$1.00	The Best All Silk Messaline \$1.00
Extra Good All Wool Dress Goods 35c	Extra Good Table Damask 48c	Extra Good Dress Gingham 10c	Extra Good Ladies Shoes \$2.50	Extra Good R. & G. Corsets \$1.00
Extra Special → \$1.75 Cotton Blankets \$1.25	Extra Special All Silk extra wide Satin and Taffeta Ribbon 10c	Extra Special Cotton Taffeta Petticoats 98c	Extra Special All Wool Shirts for men \$1.00	Extra Special Two Thumb Cotton Flannel Mitts 5c
Extra Grade Mens High Top Boots \$5.00	Extra Grade Sheep Skin Lined Duck Coats \$5.00	Extra Grade Mens Corduroy Coats \$3.00	Extra Grade Boys Union Suits 50c	Extra Grade Sweet Orr Corduroy Pants \$2.50
Special Offering Ladies Coats \$7.50	Special Offering 100 Pair Misses Shoes \$1.00	Special Offering 100 Pair Ladies Shoes \$1.50	Special Offering 50 pair Childrens Shoes 50c	Special Offering 10c Handkerchiefs 5c
Mens Warm Caps 50c—\$1.00	Wales Good Year Foot Wear	Thompsons fine Shoes for Men	Stetson Hats \$3.50—\$5.00	Silver Brand Collars

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